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In re the Application of: Naoki YOSHIOKA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1724

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VAPORIZER, VAPORIZATION PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL METHOD
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 September 29, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005 for 2 months from July 29, 2005 to September 29, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the cost of the extension. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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